

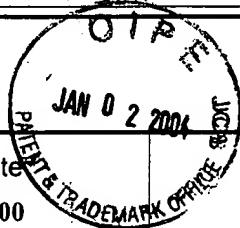
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**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.

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In Re Application Of: Suzanne Cory, et al.

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**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 9/25/03 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month  Two months  Three months  Four months  Five months

from: 9/25/03 until: 12/29/03  
*Date* *Date*

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	46 -	46 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	5 -	5 =	0	x \$86.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$420.00
<b>TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME</b>					<b>\$420.00</b>

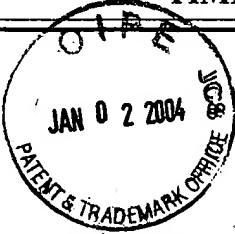
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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

A check in the amount of \$420.00 for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.

Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$420.00

The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1013/SSMP

- Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-1013/SSMP

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**Examiner:** V. Bertoglio

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Commissioner for Patents  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND  
RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.111 AND 1.143

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 25, 2003, setting forth a second requirement for restriction, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.111 and 1.143, Applicants provisionally elect, with traverse, the subject matter of Group III, Claims 1-3, 9 and 12-20, drawn to a genetically modified animal or avian species having reduced levels of Bcl-w protein as an effect of a genetically modified endogenous Bcl-w gene. Applicants further provisionally elect, with traverse, SEQ ID NO: 3 and SEQ ID NO: 4, directed to a murine Bcl-w nucleotide sequence and the polypeptide sequence encoded thereby. Moreover, Applicants submit the following amendment for entry in the present application.

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